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Construction Begins on Safety Project Near Del Loma

REDDING – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has started construction on a \$1,131,500 safety project on State Route (SR) 299, ½ mile west of Del Loma, which will realign the existing curve, bringing it up to current highway standards.

Work will require twenty-four hour traffic control, which will take effect beginning Monday, June 5, 2006. Traffic will be controlled by a signal at the construction location and will be in effect until mid-July. The signal will be automatic and activated by axle sensors. During the construction process, periodic blasting may be required in order to excavate the rock slope on the north side of the road. The contractor for this project is R. Brown Construction of Willow Creek.

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